

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS

DATED : 11.04.2016

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THE HONOURABLE MR. **JUSTICE R.SUBBIAH**

**Contempt Petition No.1613 of 2013**

St. Annes Girls Higher Secondary School,  
Pudupalayam, Cuddalore -1 of  
the Congregation of the Immaculate  
Heart of Mary Pondicherry  
rep. by its Coordinator for Education  
Rev.Sr.Deva Aseer Mary  
Immaculate Generalate  
St.Therese Street, Pondicherry - 605 001.

... Petitioner

vs.

V.Siddarthan,  
District Educational Officer,  
Cuddalore New Town,  
Cuddalore District.

... Respondent

Contempt petition has been filed under Section 11  
of the Contempt of Courts Act, 1971 to punish the  
respondent for wilfully disobeying the order of this Court  
passed in W.P.No.28773 of 2011 dated 17.09.2012.

For Petitioner : Mr.M.Joseph Thatheus Jerome

For Respondent : Mr.R.Rajaswaran  
Special Govt. Pleader

**ORDER**

This Court, by an order dated 17.09.2012 made in  
W.P.No.28773 of 2011, directed the petitioner herein to  
send a proposal for approval of the appointment of one  
P.Gandhimathi as Office Assistant to the respondent herein

order and on doing so, the respondent was directed to approve the appointment of the said person as Office Assistant within four weeks thereafter. Since the said order has not been complied with by the respondent herein within the stipulated time as directed by this Court, the present contempt petition has been filed.

2. Today, when the matter was taken up for consideration, learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondent submitted that the respondent has complied with the order of this Court by approving the appointment of P.Gandhimathi as Office Assistant in the petitioner school. She has also produced a copy of the proceedings of the District Educational Officer, Cuddalore in Na.Ka.No.8499/A3/2012 dated 07.04.2016 to that effect.

3. Recording the said submission made by the learned Government Advocate appearing for the respondent, the contempt petition is closed.

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JOINT REGISTRAR(OS) (i/c)

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Dated at Madras this the day of 2017.

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